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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Supplemental Response accompanies a Declaration pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 with Appendix (items 1-47) by Richard Lerner, M.D. ("the Lerner declaration"). Please consider the Supplemental Response and accompanying Declaration together with the Amendment that was filed with a Request for Continued Examination pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.114 on March 4, 2002.

REMARKS

The following arguments and declaration are Supplementary to the arguments filed in support of the Amendment mailed March 4, 2002. All reference herein to the During dissertation are to the English language translation prepared by Ralph McElroy Translation Company, 910 West Avenue, Austin Texas (Job No. 1596-81522). The arguments below are supported by a declaration pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.132 by Richard Lerner, M.D., President of the Scripps Research Institute ("the Lerner declaration").